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For forty years "Star" has been the best chew made—full weight 16 oz. plugs—highest quality, best value and standard price.

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The Semi-Weekly Leader.

PUBLISHED WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS.

Saturday, August 10, 1907.

TOWN AND COUNTY

Dry and dusty again.

M. R. Leary is back from an Eastern trip.

The mercury has been climbing higher every day.

W. M. Welch has been in Hattiesburg on business.

"Our boycott" has been added to our many other possessions.

Rev. J. P. Hemby's sister, Mrs. Gardley, is at her brother's home.

Miss Carrie White, of Jackson, is the guest of Miss Margaret Mason.

Mrs. L. H. Bowen and Robert left Thursday for a month's visit to Iowa.

S. C. Causey, of Heuck's Retreat, has been a pleasant visitor to this office.

L. J. Laird has moved into his pretty new cottage built on Hodgman's Annex.

Mrs. Raglan, of Brandon, was with her sister, Mrs. Hemby, in her last hours.

Mrs. J. T. Cotton has been at Brown's Wells this week. She deserves a rest.

Hon. P. Z. Jones has been attending Chancery Court at Monticello this week.

Miss Meta Smith has returned from visits to Jackson, Pikes and other places.

Hugh Gobbold is enjoying a week's vacation at his home in Franklin county.

Prof. C. T. McKee has been conducting an Institute in Green county during the week.

Mrs. E. French, of Jackson, is the cherished guest of her relative, Mrs. R. J. McKinley.

Mr. N. M. Higdon, of Hazlehurst, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Higdon in this city.

Miss Ollie McKinley has returned from a pleasant visit to relatives and friends at Martinsville.

Mrs. Lou Mason Champlin is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mason, at Union Hall.

George and Elijah Douglass were with their pastor, Rev. J. P. Hemby, in his bereavement Thursday.

Dr. I. L. Parsons was taken suddenly ill in the country Wednesday and was brought home. He is still a sufferer.

Mrs. Hann, one of Copiah's best women, has been faithfully ministering in the stricken home of Rev. J. P. Hemby.

Submit your estimates to the East Union Lumber Yard before buying lumber, shingles or building material. Will save you money.

LOST—A small black purse. Finder will please return same to Miss McGowan at W. J. Booth's, at East Union Mills, and receive reward.

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During the protracted meeting this week at Macedonia, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Z. Lofton, assisted by Rev. H. P. Pater, of Brookhaven, there were 26 conversions to the membership.

A novelty is lent the visit of Mr. I. Morris and son, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Morris by the fact that they journeyed here all the way from Chicago in an automobile. About a month was consumed in the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Leiz returned to Brookhaven Wednesday. Mr. Leiz coming from a three months' visit in Germany and Mrs. Leiz from a month's pleasant stay in Chicago. Mr. Leiz opened his place of business again today.

The Union Hall protracted meeting begins today. Rev. R. H. Pater will preach the initiatory sermon. The pastor will be assisted by Rev. J. P. Williams, the well known divine of Silver Creek.

Matthews Ard leaves today to join a party from Magnolia who will visit the Jamestown Exposition and the East and then go Westward before their return. Matthews is receiving a good education from travel in his early years.

In reporting the marriage of Mr. J. W. Berry and Miss Gertrude Jordan in our last Saturday's issue we inadvertently stated she was the daughter of Mr. W. T. Jordan. The happy bride is the daughter of our friend, Mr. Gray Jordan.

Tom Watts has returned to his native heath as manager of the Telephone Exchange here. Mr. Wade will leave Sunday for his new home at Monroe, La. Brookhaven friends feel a pride in the advancement "Tom" has made in his profession.

Mrs. Laura M. Gibson and Miss Effie Varnado, of Magnolia, accompanied by Matthews Ard and his sister, Miss Polly Corn, leave today for the Jamestown Exposition, via New York. They will also visit other points of interest before their return several weeks hence.

Everything doesn't happen in one day.

Miss Clara Butler is visiting in Jackson.

Duncan Cox has been a visitor to New Orleans.

Mrs. G. J. Smith is visiting her son at Gulfport.

Mr. Geo. Bowsky is summing at French Lick, Ind.

Mr. Frank Hoffman is the guest of Mr. Lucich's home.

Mrs. R. W. McNair is visiting her mother at Mt. Olive.

Mr. and Mrs. Colton Smith are enjoying a visit to Gulfport.

Miss Lily Ryals has been a charming visitor from Biloxi.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lacey are enjoying "time off" at Barlow.

Miss Pickering, of Tennessee, is Miss Helen Sherman's guest.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Kern, of Hot Springs, are guests of relatives here.

Miss Mary Hollenbeck is a visitor from the golden State of California.

Mrs. J. A. Thompson and Miss Annie Hardy had a delightful trip to Atlanta.

Mrs. Susie Pegram has gone North for a vacation of diversion and pleasure.

Mrs. F. A. Cameron and Misses Lura and Retta are visitors at Brown's Wells.

A. Zwirn, of Memphis, has joined his wife at the home of Mr. H. Zwirn here.

Miss Hazel Cosnahan, one of our worthiest and most esteemed girls, is now employed at the freight depot.

Little Miss Nell and James Aylward, of Jackson, are visiting their grandmother at Mr. Frank Aylward's pretty cottage home in the Becker Addition.

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"Now please put down your book and lay aside your cigar and give your undivided attention to this wall paper. I want to be quite sure that the paper pleases you. I should take no pleasure in it if it did not. What do you think of this pattern?"

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"Why, George! You honestly and truly wouldn't want that on our parlor walls? I think it is horrid! Such a stiff, conventional pattern!"

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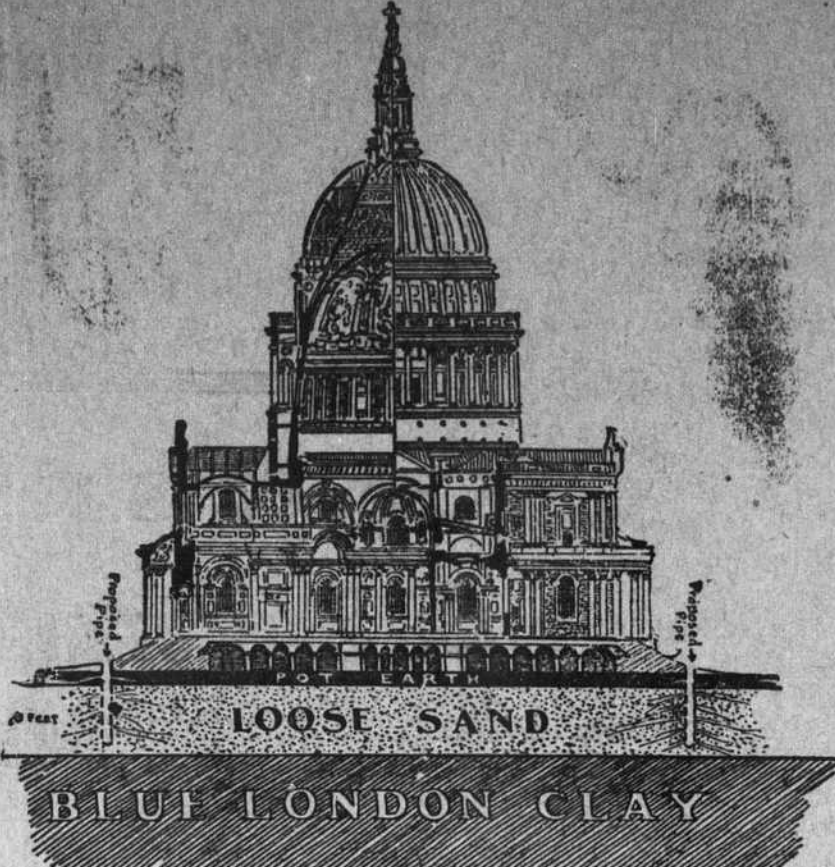
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The entire weight of London's famous landmark rests upon a six-foot slab of pot-earth, and this is now crumbling, allowing Sir Christopher Wren's masterpiece to crack badly in several places and show other signs of a dangerous subsidence.

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LINCOLN'S REGISTERED VOTE.

How It Stands by Beats and Election Precincts.

DISTRICT NO. 1.	
Old Court House	400
New Court House	418-827
DISTRICT NO. 2.	
Montgomery	156
Goodwater	121
Fair River	107-384
DISTRICT NO. 3.	
Ruth	101
Pine Grove	136
McClendon	130
Ritchie	132-400
DISTRICT NO. 4.	
Gum Grove	170
Arlington	134
Bogue Chitto	276
Norfield	183-703
DISTRICT NO. 5.	
Vaughan's	210
Cassville	86
Red Star	112-408
Grand Total	2,881

Neighbors Got Fooled.

"I was literally coughing myself to death, and had become too weak to leave my bed, and neighbors predicted that I would never leave it alive; but they got fooled, for thanks be to God, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It took just four one dollar bottles to completely cure the cough and restore me to good sound health," writes Mrs. Eva Uncapher, of Grovertown, Stark Co., Ind. This King of cough and cold cures, and healer of throat and lungs, is guaranteed by Price Drug Co., druggists. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

The Vote for State Senator.

The official vote for State Senator for the 8th Senatorial district, composed of Lincoln, Lawrence and Jefferson Davis has been received and is as follows:

	Watts	Bush	Hobbs
Lincoln.....	585	756	1046
Lawrence.....	157	534	249
Jefferson Davis....	139	549	129
	881	1839	1494
			419

Bush's plurality.

This leaves Messrs. Hobbs and Bush to run over in the second race.

Rising From the Grave.

A prominent manufacturer, Wm. A. Fertwell, of Lucama, N. C